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Mr. Abdul Sheikh
Aberdeen Proving Grounds
Directorate of Public Works
Attn: AM5SB-FE-G (Abdul Sheikh)
Aberdeen Proving Grounds, MD 22005-5001

Dear Abdul:

On June 22, 2003, I conducted an aerial survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Aberdeen Proving Grounds. I am pleased to report that no defoliation was detected at, or in the vicinity of, your site.

However, if you anticipate requesting either financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2004, please contact Brad Onken (304) 285-1546 or me (304) 285-1555 before August 22, 2003.

Please contact me at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

RODNEY L. WHITEMAN
Forester
Forest Health Protection

cc: Robert Tichenor, MDA
Robert Tatman, MDA
Noel Schneeberger, AO

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